

The Honorable Ricardo S. Martinez
The Honorable S. Kate Vaughan

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

CAROL STEPIEN,

Plaintiff,

v.

NATIONAL OCEANIC AND
ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION, an
Agency of the United States, and
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE,

Defendants.

Case No. C21-1166-RSM-SKV

JOINT STIPULATION TO RENOTE
CROSS-MOTION BRIEFING
SCHEDULE

Noted For Consideration:
October 26, 2023

JOINT STIPULATION TO RENOTE CROSS-MOTION BRIEFING SCHEDULE

1. As indicated in the parties' previous stipulation, Dkt. 43, following the filing of the parties' cross-motions, the parties have met and conferred regarding possible resolution or narrowing on the disputed issues in this case.

2. At this time, the parties are working towards a potential total resolution of this case and have exchanged an offer and counter-offer. The parties propose to continue this process to see if resolution without further court action is possible.

3. At a minimum, the parties have narrowed the issues in dispute. However, rather than continue to with motions practice and/or a possible amended complaint at this time, the

parties believe that it would be more efficient for the Court and litigants if they focused their efforts on seeing whether a complete resolution is possible during the next few weeks.

4. Therefore the parties jointly agree there is good cause and ask this Court's consent to renote and briefly extend the stipulated cross-motion briefing schedule as follows:

	Current Deadline	New Deadline
Plaintiff's Joint Reply in Support of Plaintiff's Motion and Opposition to Defendant's Cross Motion	November 3, 2023	November 17, 2023
Defendants' Reply in Support of Defendants' Cross Motion	November 17, 2023	December 1, 2023

IT IS SO STIPULATED, THROUGH PARTIES OF RECORD.

DATED this 26th day of October, 2023.

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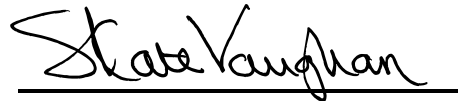
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I certify that this memorandum contains 207 words in compliance with the Local Rules.

ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED. The Clerk is directed to renote the parties' cross-motions for summary judgment for December 1, 2023.

Dated this 30th day of October, 2023.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "S. Kate Vaughan", is written over a solid black horizontal line.

S. KATE VAUGHAN
United States Magistrate Judge